GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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MINISTER`S VISIT
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of countries visited by the Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture during 2000- 2001;

(b) the expenditure incurred thereon; and

(c) the details of agreements entered into with these countries relating to agriculture during his visit?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a): Agriculture Minister led the Indian delegation to Japan for participation in the 25thFAO Regional Conference held during 31-8-2000 to 1-9-2000.

(b): Rs.1,26,750/- (Approx.) was incurred on his visit.

(c): No Agreement was signed. As India is founder member of FAO, participation in this Conference was obligatory.